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PERSONAL

Mrs. George P. Letherbury has arrived home from an extended visit in Baltimore and Cumberland.

Mrs. Richard Lowndes of Waldonore, is the visiting guest of her sister, Mrs. George T. Porter in Washington. ngton.
John B. Hilleary, of Buckhannon

a city business visitor.

J. B. Knapp is a business visitor

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Alexander G. Strickler was here Sunday from Ellenboro.

Attoney Thomas Ramage will spend Thanksgiving in Connellswille.

F. A. Dennison has returned from the wilds of Mineral county, where he was on a week's hunting trip.

William P. Fowkes, of Buckhan-

William P. Fowkes, of Buckhannon, ex-sheriff of Upshur county, was a city business visitor Monday.
Attorney Charles A. Sutton, of Bridgeport, is a city business visitor.
Jason M. Kester, of Quiet Dell, justice of the peace-elect, is in the city today on business. P. A. Pitzer, of Mannington, is a

ity visitor. N. M. Lanhead, of Pt. Pleasant, is

a visitor here.

Theodore T. Sansbury, of Park-ersburg, is a city visitor.

T. P. Willes, of Elkins, is a visitor

n the city.

Camden Sommers has returned trom a business visit in Charleston.

He will go to Randolph county tonight on another business trip.

M. J. Foos spent Sunday with riends in Parkersburg.

The Great Salt lake is gradually dry-ing up, and the inhabitants of Salt Lake City seem quite surprised. They ought not to be. All sait lakes owe their salinity to the fact of their having no outlet, and a lake without an outlet is a dying lake.

Nor is death usually long delayed. speaking geologically. Lakes Koko Nor and Lob Nor were undoubtedly extensive inland seas not so very many decades ago, yet Sven Hedin found them reduced to mere acrid puddles set in the midst of well nigh limitless salt deserts that once were their beds.

The terrible Taklamakan desert, too, in which Hedin nearly died of thirst, was once the bed of just such a lake. So also were the salt deserts of Persia. Northern Tibet is studded with salt lakes in process of desiccation. The Aral and the Casplan seas were at one time far more extensive than is now the case, proving that they, too, are undergoing the inevitable process of desication to which all such bodies of water are sooner or later invariably subjected.-St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Negro Eloquence Some years ago one of Texas' widely known statesmen who is now dead was passing along a street in Dallas when an old colored man who had once belonged to him approached, took off his hat and passed a hand over his white wool as he asked:

"Marster, gin de old man 50 cents." "Dan, you are a robber."
"How?" asked the astonished darky, opening his eyes, around which rough-

shod age had walked.
"Didn't you see me put my hand in my pocket?"

Yes, sah." "Well, you old rascal, you rob me of the pleasure of giving you money without being asked." The old man received a dollar. Bow-

ing almost to the ground, while tears came out and coursed through the aged "Marster, wid—wid such a heart as you hab and wid Abraham and Isaac and de Lord on your side I don't see what can keep you out of heaven."

A Candid Critic.
"A criticism that has helped me a great deal in my work came from a man to whom I took a picture to be framed," said a young woman who spends much of her time copying in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. "As the picture progressed my friends told me it was tine. Some of the other copyists sald it had value, character, good coloring and all those things, and even one of the guards in the gallery got real friendly one day and remarked that it was the best copy of that picture be had seen. I began to think that maybe, after all, my several years of study were beginning to bear fruit. At the framer's I picked out a nice frame, and the framer began to figure on the cost, "'I'll tell you, miss,' he said; 'that frame will come to \$3.98. If I were

you I'd get something cheaper for that picture."-New York Sun. "Setting the River on Fire." In old English times, when each family was obliged to sift its own flour, it sometimes happened that an energetic man would turn his sieve so rapidly as to cause it to catch fire. The style of sieve used in those days was called a "temse," and it became a customary saying that a lazy man would never set the temse on fire. Now, it nappens that the name of the river Thames is pronounced like the name of this old flour sieve, and after many years, when the old fashloned temse was forgotten, it was thought that setting the temse on fire meant setting the river on fire, and that is why toflay we say that a stupid person will

never set the river on fire. Men of Yesterday and Today. Men of Yesteray and Tobay.

In our great-grandfather's young days a man was usually not only considered, but really was, elderly at forty, old at fifty and a gouty, financi swathed wreck at sixty. — London

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